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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE


RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

TOWN OF EPSOM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 23, 1857.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The Town of Epsom in account with the Selectmen and Treasurer, for the year 1856.

RECEIPTS :

March 22, 1856. Received of John Griffin, Town Treasurer,	\$132 71
Amount of assessment committed to Wm. Yeaton, State, Town and County,	2.252 63
School house tax in School district No. 9,	15 23
“ “ “ “ “ “ 6,	23 22
Amount from E. H. Goodhue, for labor of J. Locke,	3 37
State Treasurer, Literary Fund,	117 60
County Treasurer—	
Board of Elijah Blaisdell,	79 50
“ Charles Brown,	30 00
“ William Haskell,	23 75
“ Rhoda Haskell,	29 65
“ Lucy Warren,	5 56
To convey Lucy Warren to her friends,	5 00
Amount of Wm. Yeaton's collection of 1854,	88 85
“ Samuel Yeaton's collection of 1855,	227 73
“ allowed Selectmen of 1855, for liquors,	95 52
“ for use of Town House for dancing school,	5 00
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EXPENDITURES :

Paid Charles J. Brown for notifying jurors, &c.,	\$3 83
William Proctor, for medical attendance on Wm. Haskell family,	6 50
Levi Robinson in part for his salary on town farm,	50 00
Auditors for the year 1855,	1 50
John Griffin, in full for services as selectman, 1855,	3 21
E. H. Goodhue, for blacksmithing for 1855, and sleigh,	25 03
L. W. Peabody for medical aid for Abigail Libbey,	13 83
“ “ “ John McDaniel,	6 65
“ “ “ at Town Farm, 1855,	3 43
Dr. Tenney, doctoring Greenleaf Allen's wife,	22 50
Teachers' Institute, for the year 1855,	17 41
Levi Robinson, services as agent on Town Farm,	146 54
Non-Resident highway bills,	4 16
Jeremiah Berry, work on North-east road,	3 52
Merriam & Merrill, for stationery,	42
Josiah Page, for 460 feet of bridge plank, and 224 ft. timber for bridge near J. Langley's,	6 39
Jones & Cogswell, for Town Reports,	16 00
Nathan Griffin, 3d, school money Dist. No. 1,	170 41
James M. Sherburne, “ “ “ “ 2,	79 86
William Tarleton, “ “ “ “ 3,	61 50
Wm. Brackett, “ “ “ “ 4,	93 20
Simeon P. Locke, “ “ “ “ 5,	50 65
“ “ “ “ 6,	32 35
Samuel Brown, jr., “ “ “ “ 7,	72 68
Herbert Lovejoy, “ “ “ “ 8,	39 23
Henry D. Haynes, “ “ “ “ 9,	83 68
Jonathan Marden, “ “ “ “ 10,	44 56
C. H. Carpenter, Union of Epsom and Chichester,	33 01
Joseph Marden, work on turnpike,	42
G. Parker Lyon, for stationery,	1 42
Joseph Marden, 1 day's work on turnpike,	83
Joseph Emerson, “ “ “ “	83
Samuel P. Cilley, “ “ “ “	83
Wm. Ham, for taking affidavit of Charles Brown,	25
Calvin Dolbeer, for school house tax, Dist. No. 9,	13 00
John Griffin, for work on turnpike road,	67
John Yeaton, for one day's work on turnpike,	83

Paid Railroad Co., for Lucy Warren's fare to visit her friends,	\$2 50
John Wallace, for pair of boots and cloth for pair of pants for John Dolloff,	5 50
Town of Durham for sickness and funeral expenses of John McDaniel's wife,	37 00
S. S. James for perambulating town line between Epsom and Northwood,	75
County School Commissioner, year 1856,	19 32
C. H. Carpenter, for being overtaxed on Perkins land, for the year 1855,	5 26
Wm. Yeaton, for 185 ft. bridge plank,	1 85
“ “ revising military roll, 1855, 1856,	4 00
George Sanders & Co., for 758 ft. of bridge plank,	6 71
Ephraim Locke, for six thousand pine shingle for Town Farm house,	18 00
Ephraim Locke for assisting in drawing stringer to bridge,	75
Ephraim Locke, for five days' work on turnpike,	4 15
Alonzo Wallace, for services as Town Clerk,	10 00
“ “ recording births and deaths,	2 22
L. W. Peabody, for reporting births and deaths,	1 85
County Treasurer, county tax,	449 67
State Treasurer, State tax,	225 40
Selectmen's expenses at Pittsfield while making Union School house tax, Epsom and Pittsfield,	75
Abatement of taxes on Wm. Yeaton's list, 1856:—	
Bethsheba Allen, 1.98 ; Samuel Dolloff, 1.40 ;	3 38
Reuben Evans, 1.40 ; Franklin Evans, 1.40 ;	2 80
Kidder Haynes, paid in Deerfield,	1 40
Uriah Fogg, 1.40 ; John Foss, 1.40 ;	2 80
Ephraim Gray, 1 69 ; Uriah Hall, 1.40 ;	3 09
John Lear, 1.49 ; Rufus S. Marden, 1.40 ;	2 89
Mary Sherburne, 1.47 ; E. A. Twombly, 1.40 ;	2 87
Samuel C. Yeaton, 4.55 ; P. C. Tuck, .33 ;	4 88
Non-Resident highway receipts for 1856,	28 50
Abatements on Wm. Yeaton's list for 1854:—	
John L. Allen, 1.50 ; Thomas Appleton, 1.50 ;	3 00
Jacob Howe, 5.27 ; Joseph Howe, 1.50 ;	6 77
Heirs of David Howe, 3.09 ; A. Marsh, 1.96 ;	5 05
Sally Phillbrick, 1.56 ; H. F. Sherburne, 2.62 ;	4 18
Mary Sherburne, 1.27 ; Josiah Sargent, 1.50 ;	2 77
J. Wells, J. Whitney, L. Sleeper, 1.50 each,	4 50
Saml. C. Yeaton, 2.77 ; E. A. Twombly, 1.50 ;	4 27

Paid Wm. Goss, 365 ft. bridge plank,	\$3 96
Wm. Yeaton, as collector for 1854,	20 00
John Wallace, for articles furnished from his store to Levi Brown,	1 00
Jan. 17. John Wallace, cord for use of burying ground,	45
B. L. Locke, services as Sup. School Com.,	18 00
“ “ stringer to bridge at Smith's mills,	6 00
Feb. 17, 1857. Benj. Towle, note and interest, dated April 17, 1855,	55 50
Thomas Tripp, in full for School house tax in Dist. No. 4,	9 41
J. C. Sanders, work on bridge and road,	1 50
Ephraim Locke, services as Selectman :—	
March 23, 1856. One day preparing to take inventory,	75
April 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th and 7th. Taking inventory,	6 00
“ 9th, 11th, 12th, 14th and 15th. Carrying out inventory, making taxes, &c.,	3 75
One day proportioning school money, and making school house tax, Dist. No. 9,	75
Taking of inventory of 1855 and 1856, to return to Secretary of State,	75
July 8, 1857. Journey to Loudon to move Mrs. Fisher,	1 50
Aug. Attending jury meeting,	25
Oct. One day posting town meeting warrant and check list,	75
Oct. 13. Making out county pauper papers &c.,	75
“ 27. Journey to Durham to see to J. McDaniel's family,	3 50
Expenses of journey for same,	75
To recording inventory,	2 00
Half day correcting check list,	38
Nov. 7. Perambulating line between Epsom and North- wood,	75
Dec. Revising jury list,	34
Jan. 1857. Attending jury meeting,	25
Feb. “ Two days taking inventory and making taxes for school district, No. 6,	2 00
Feb. 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th. Settling town bills ma- king town warrant, &c.,	3 00
For services as Town Treasurer,	5 00
Jonathan C. Sanders, services as selectman :—	
March 29. To one day preparing to take inventory,	75

April. Six days taking inventory,	\$6 00
Five days carrying out inventory, and making taxes,	3 75
May. One day proportioning school money,	75
Making school house tax for school district No. 9,	34
Aug. Attending jury meeting,	25
Taking off inventories, 1855, 1856, to return to Secretary of State,	75
One day making town warrant and check list,	75
Making out county pauper papers,	75
Half day correcting check list,	38
Perambulating line between Epsom and Northwood,	75
Journey to Durham to settle pauper account,	3 50
Expenses to Durham,	75
Revising jury list,	34
Attending jury meeting,	25
Attending jury meeting,	25
Four days settling town bills and making town meeting warrant, &c.,	3 00
Wm. Goss, services as selectman :—	
March 29. One day preparing to take inventory,	75
April. Six days taking inventory,	6 00
Four days carrying out inventory and making out taxes,	3 00
Attending jury meeting,	25
Oct. Making town meeting warrant and check list,	75
Dec. Revising jury list,	25
Attending jury meeting,	25
Two days taking inventory making out taxes in Dist. No. 6,	2 00
Feb. 18th, 19th. Settling town bills,	1 50
Town farm expenses over receipts,	68 44
Stationery and postage,	57
Remaining in hands of collector for 1856,	141 08
James Towle, services as selectman, 1855,	3 84
Joseph Dolbeer, services as selectman, 1855,	1 42
Samuel Yeaton, services as collector for 1855,	19 00
Abatement of taxes on Samuel Yeaton's list for the year 1855,	29 47
Joseph Lawrence, jr., services as liquor agent,	10 00
Theophilus Wells, " " " "	10 00
James Bartlett, agent on town farm, in part for his salary,	100 00

John Yeaton, cash on note,	400 86
Liquor on hand,	24 46
Warren Yeaton, one day's work on turnpike road,	83
In the hands of E. Locke, Town Treasurer,	145 51
John Griffin, jr., expense to get town farm build- ings insured in the Gilmanton Co.,	2 08

ACCOUNT WITH LIQUOR AGENTS.

March 22, 1856. Allowed Selectmen for 1855 :

Paid for Liquor,	\$95 75	
“ J. Lawrence, jr., for agency,	10 00	
“ T. Wells, “ “	10 00	
Expenditures,		\$115 75

April 8. Received of J. Lawrence, jr.:

Liquors,	\$63 89	
Joseph Lawrence, jr., cash,	27 53	
T. Wells, “	4 10	
Measures, casks, faucets, and account book, 2 50		
Receipts,		\$98 02
		<u>\$17 73</u>

April 8, 1856. Alonzo Wallace to Town of Epsom, Dr.

To Liquor from Lawrence,	\$63 89	
“ “ Boston,	87 72	
To freight,	4 75	
“ selectmen for moving liquors, &c.,	1 50	
Paid A. Wallace for agency,	3 82	
Expenditures,		\$161 68

July 10, 1856. A. Wallace Cr.

Liquors,	\$115 24	
Cash,	46 44	
Receipts,		<u>\$161 68</u>

July 10, 1856. *Darius Philbrick to the Town of Epsom* Dr.

To liquors from A. Wallace,	\$115 24	
“ “ “ Boston,	51 17	
“ freight,	2 25	
Agency,	13 00	
Expenditures,	—	\$181 66

Feb. 19, 1857. *Darius Philbrick*

Cr.

By Cash,	\$157 20	
Liquors on hand,	24 46	
Receipts,	—	\$181 66

Feb. 19, 1857. Measures, casks, faucets and account book, belonging to the town, amounting to \$4 00

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE TOWN, FEB. 25TH, 1856.

John Yeaton, note and interest,	\$544 64	
Benjamin Towle, “ “	52 56	
Due town farm agent Levi Robinson, at the close of his year,	192 79	
E. H. Goodhue,	25 03	
L. W. Peabody,	23 91	
Joseph Lawrence, jr.,	10 00	
Theophilus Wells,	10 00	
Dr. Tenney,	22 50	
County Institute,	17 41	
	—	\$ 898 84

Indebtedness Feb. 23, 1857.

John Yeaton, note dated Feb. 23, 1857,	\$176 00	
Town Farm Agent, James L. Bartlett, at the close of his year,	100 00	
Total,	—	276 00

Debt less than last year, \$622 00

Due the town on Wm. Yeaton's collection of 1856,	\$141 08	
In the hands of E. Locke, Town Treasurer,	145 51	
Due from Samuel Brown, jr.,	30 00	
Due from Wm. P. Cilley, on his note,	13 00	
Total,	—	\$329 59

*Expenditures of Town Farm for the Year commencing
Feb. 25th, 1856.*

March	Paid John Wallace for 4 lbs. tobacco,	\$1 00
	“ for 15½ lbs. fish, .54; 2 lbs. saleratus,	
	14,	68
17.	“ for 2 lbs. tea, 64; 2 lbs. crushed sugar,	
	23,	87
April	“ for 10 lbs. 10 oz. fish, 36; ½ bush. grass	
	seed, 2.12,	2 48
	“ for 10 lbs. clover seed, 1.70; 1 oz. nut-	
	megs, 10,	1 80
19.	for ¼ lb. spice, 06; 4½ gall. molasses,	
	1.80,	1 86
	“ for 4½ lbs. potash, 45; 1 lb. wrapping	
	twine, 25,	70
	“ for 3 yds. drilling, 45; ½ lb. ginger, 06,	51
26.	“ for ¼ lb. cream tartar, 10; 25 lbs. nails,	
	1.25,	1 35
June	“ for 1 doz. buttons, 04; 1 bbl. flour, 8.38,	8 42
28.	“ for 5 gall. molasses, 2.50; 4 lbs. tobacco,	
	96,	3 46
	“ for 1 lb. black tea, 32; 2 lb. sugar, 22,	54
	“ for 7 yds. sheeting, 63; 1 oz. linen	
	thread, 10,	73
July	3. “ for 1 paper cucumber seeds, 05; 1 wa-	
	ter pail, 28,	33
	“ for 1 bar soap, 21; 3 doz. shirt buttons, 9,	30
7.	“ for 1 whetstone, 10; 6 sheets paper, 6,	16
	“ for 1 bag salt, 27; 4 lbs. saleratus, 25,	52
	“ for 10 lbs. fish, 30; 1 box pills, 20,	50
31.	“ for 62 crackers, 25; 1½ bush. salt, 1.00,	1 25
	“ for 2 lbs. sugar, 24; 2 lbs. black tea, 64,	88
Aug.	18. “ for 17 lbs. fish, 51; 1 bush scythe, 87,	1 38
Sept.	“ for ½ lb. green tea, 29; 1½ lbs. sugar, 19,	48
	“ for 1 bag salt, 27; 1 oz. nutmegs, 10;	
	4 needles, 4,	41
	“ for 5 gall. molasses, 2.75; 1 bbl. flour,	
	8.00,	10 75
Oct.	“ for ½ bush. salt, 34; 13½ lbs. fish, 34,	68
	“ for 7½ yds. cloth, 4.52; 31 lbs. fish, 1.21;	
	2½ lbs. tea, 89,	6 62

Oct.	15.	Paid for 2 yds. calico, 15 ; thread, 1 ; 43 yds. factory cloth, 3.66,	\$3 82
	"	for 1 qt. oil, 28 ; 1 pr. thick boots, 3.25,	3 53
	"	for 2 lbs. black tea, 66 ; 6 lbs. saleratus, 28,	94
		for 1 lb. -coffee, 12 ; 1 bbl. flour, 8.38 ; 1 set teas, 42,	8 92
	"	for 4 bush. salt, 2.66 ; 4 lbs. tobacco, 1.12 ; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. tea, 15,	3 93
	"	for 5 gall. molasses, 2.50 ; 1 oz. camphor, 10,	2 60
	19.	" for 1 bottle ink, 6 ; 1 lb. nails, 5,	11
	"	for 1 file, 11 ; 2 lbs. tea, 64 ; 1 lb. raisins, 20,	95
	22.	" for $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. cinnamon, 11 ; 1 oz. nutmegs, 10,	21
	"	for 2 lbs. sugar, 25 ; 31 crackers, 13,	38
	"	for 1 axe, 1.00 ; 3 yds. cloth, 2.25,	3 25
	"	for $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. snuff, 7 ; 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. beeswax, 5,	12
Dec.	"	for 4 skeins thread, 2 ; 3 pipes, 2,	04
	"	for 4 lbs. tobacco, 1.16 ; 2 lbs. black tea, 64,	1 80
	"	for 2 balls wicking, 10 ; 1 bbl. flour, 8.00,	8 10
	"	for 2 lbs. sugar, 25 ; 1 oz. indigo, 10,	35
	"	for 1 file, 12 ; 4 lbs. saleratus, 28,	40
Feb.	"	for 2 lbs. black tea, 64 ; 2 lbs. sugar, 25,	89
	"	for 2 chambers, 50 ; 1 bbl. flour, 7.75,	8 25
	"	for 4 lbs. tobacco, 1.20 ; 3 pipes, 2,	1 22
	"	J. C. & J. B. Cram, for balance on vest,	54
May	"	for 1 vest, 1.50 ; 1 lb. raisins, 17 ; 4 yds. sheeting, 37,	2 04
	"	for 3 yds. linsey cloth, 38 ; 3 yds. drilling, 30,	68
Jan.	"	for buttons, 10 ; 1 coat for Dickey, 5.00,	5 10
	"	for 5 papers garden seeds,	25
April	"	John Bickford, for 1 pair taps,	25
	"	Pedlar, for tin ware,	46
	"	for 360 lbs. plaster,	1 83
	"	for 4 lbs. saleratus, 28 ; 6 tin pans, 1.20 ; 1 oz. indigo, 10,	1 58
	"	E. H. Goodhue, for shoeing cattle,	50
	"	Wm. Goss, for vinegar,	15
	"	Dr. Peabody, for R. McDaniels,	37
	"	P. Haynes, for 1 bag salt, 27 ; 5 lbs. sugar, 49,	76

June	Paid for 1 lb. tea, 30 ; 1 lb. saleratus, 7,	\$	37
	“ for $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. snuff, 15 ; $9\frac{1}{4}$ yds. cloth, 83,		98
	“ for 1 tray, 50 ; 1 broom, 42,		92
	“ for 1 wheel head, 50 ; 1 lock, 20,		70
	“ Mr. Bickford, for 2 pigs, 5.25,	5	25
	“ for holdback straps, 33 ; 2 spoons, 10,		43
	“ for 1 hat for Dickey,		25
	“ J. C. Cram, for 1 almanac,		05
Oct.	“ for 1 pair of shoes for Mrs. Warren,		67
	“ Sperlin, for $1\frac{1}{2}$ day's work,	1	50
June.	“ John Yeaton, 3d, for 2 day's work,	1	50
	“ Benjamin Towle, for 4 pigs,	4	00
	“ Mr. George, for one firkin,		48
	“ Daniel Yeaton, for 2 day's work,	1	50
	“ J. C. Cram, for articles from his store,	2	36
	“ for 1 buffalo,	6	00
Aug.	“ J. Clark, for 1 day's work,	1	00
	“ John Bickford, for 1 pair boots,	3	25
	“ J. Yeaton, 3d, for leather,	1	50
	“ Mrs. Green, for cutting coat,		20
	“ Mrs. Yeaton, for sewing,		50
	“ Pedlar, for tin ware,	1	52
	“ Town Agent, for 1 pint rum,		09
	“ Mrs. Yeaton, for cutting pants,		10
	“ Mr. Hoyt, for $11\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. fish,		41
	“ B. Cass, for carding wool,		60
	“ Mrs. Fisher, for knitting,		25
	“ John Bickford, for mending boots,		08
	“ J. Yeaton, for use of bull,		75
	“ Wm. Goss, for use of wagon,		36
	“ E. H. Goodhue, for shoeing cattle,		75
July	“ for shoeing oxen, 87 ; shoeing horse, 50,	1	37
	“ for shoeing oxen and repairs on bucket,	1	38
	“ for sharpening plow,		34
	“ for hay and repairs on plow,	3	00
Oct.	“ for shoeing oxen, 1.06 ; horse, 1.00,	2	06
	“ Wm. Goss, for 170 lbs. beef,	8	07
	“ John Bickford, as per bill,		50
	“ Alonzo Wallace, for saw bill,	2	78
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			\$170 80

*Receipts of the Town Farm for the year commencing Feb. 25,
1856.*

1856

Mar.	Received of John Wallace, for 9 bush. oats,	\$4 30
	“ for 21½ lbs. butter,	3 80
	“ for 6 doz. eggs,	90
	“ for ½ bush. beans,	1 25
	“ for 1 axe pole,	25
	“ of J. C. Cram, for 7½ lbs. wool,	2 08
	“ 3 pair socks,	1 00
Feb.	“ of pedlar, for iron, 26 ; 56 eggs, 63,	89
	“ 29 eggs, 28 ; 5 bush. oats, 2.10,	2 38
	“ oats 84 ; binding 1 pair gaiters, 15,	99
	“ of S. Clark, use of horse, 90 ; 9 quarts of beans, 25,	1 15
	“ of Mr. Towle, use of oxen, 75 ; 1 doz. eggs, 13,	88
	“ of S. Clark, for 3 quarts milk,	06
	“ of Mr. Towle, use of oxen, 25 ; P. Haines, 17½ lbs. butter, 2.92,	3 17
	“ of pedlar, for old iron, 49 ; 1 bushel of oats, 50,	99
	“ of Wilson, for 4 lambs and 2 calves,	18 00
	“ for 10 lbs. butter,	1 64
	“ of John Yeaton, use of horse,	50
	“ of J. & S. Clark, use of horse,	75
	“ of S. Clark, use of horse,	88
	“ of S. Clark, for 1 day's work, 70 ; 1 day cradling grain, 1.50,	2 20
Aug.	“ of J. L. Bartlett, for 1 day and oxen,	2 00
	“ of J. Clark, use of horse, 64 ; 8 doz. of eggs, 1.44 ; ½ bush. potatoes, 12,	2 20
	“ of Solomon Yeaton, 1 bush. potatoes,	25
	“ of J. L. Bartlett, for 3 lbs of wool,	90
Sept.	“ of John Yeaton, 3d, for 1 cow,	23 00
	“ of J. Clark, use of horse,	1 00
	“ of Joseph Cilley, use of horse to Concord, for 1 pair taps, 25 ; 2 pair feeting, 67,	92
Oct.	“ of Mrs. Fisher, use of horse to Suncook,	50
	“ for some yarn,	19
	“ of pedlar, for 2 pelts,	1 12

Received of Mrs. Fisher, for moving,	\$	25
“ of A. G. Estabrook, for 6 chickens,		2 00
“ of Mr. Hoit, for 68 lbs. hide,		4 96
“ of James Yeaton, use of horse,		50
“ of J. Clark, for use of horse,		1 00
“ of B. Bickford, for joist,		40
“ of James L. Bartlett, for 1 bottle,		05
“ of James & John Clark, use of horse,		1 96
“ of John Yeaton, for 8 lbs. tallow,		1 00
“ of Daniel Bickford, for 6 lbs. tallow,		75
“ of James Yeaton, use of horse,		40
“ of E. H. Goodhue, for pasturing sheep,		2 00
“ of Charles Clough, for drawing staves,		6 00
Amount of receipts,		<u>\$102 36</u>
Amount of expenditures,		\$170 80
Amount of receipts,		<u>102 36</u>
Excess of expenditures over receipts,		<u>\$68 44</u>

Account of Stock and Provisions on Farm Feb. 21, 1857.

2 oxen,	\$130 00	1 horse,	80 00
4 cows,	140 00	2 shotés,	30 00
2 yearlings,	30 00		
9 sheep,	30 00	Stock,	<u>\$440 00</u>
7 tons hay,	75 00	4 bush. rye,	5 00
1½ bbl. soap,	6 00	10 bush. oats,	5 00
100 bush. potatoes,	60 00	1 bbl. flour,	7 75
90 lbs. butter,	19 18	40 bush. corn,	40 00
1 bbl. beef,	15 00	15 lbs. nails,	75
350 lbs. pork,	42 75	1½ bush. salt,	90
Carrots and turnips,	1 00	5 bush. beans,	7 50
45 lbs. lard,	6 30	4 lbs. tobacco,	1 00
24 lbs. tallow,	3 00	8 lbs. yarn,	6 00
Dried apple,	1 00		
10 lbs. candles,	1 67	Provisions,	<u>\$305 39</u>

*Paupers supported on Town Farm from Feb. 25th, 1856, to
Feb. 21st, 1857.*

Elijah Pettingill,	weeks,	52	Mrs. Warren,	weeks,	9
Davis Dickey,		52	Charles Brown,		43
Roswell McDaniels,		41	Simon Grant,		16
Moses Locke,		6			
John Locke,		15	Total,		234

Interest on cost of farm and stock,	\$175 91
Salary of superintendent on town farm,	200 00
Excess of expenditures over receipts,	68 44

	<u>\$444 35</u>
Amount of stock and provisions more than in 1856,	55 49

Cost of paupers on farm,	\$388 86
Received of Merrimack county for E. Pettingill, &c.,	173 46

Actual cost to town for paupers on farm,	\$215 40
Cost of maintaining a pauper per week, - - \$1.66.	

EPHRAIM LOCKE,
JONATHAN C. SANDERS, } *Selectmen*
WILLIAM GOSS, } *of*
 } *Epsom.*

The undersigned have examined the foregoing account and found it correctly cast and properly vouched.

B. L. LOCKE, } *Auditors of the*
H. F. SANBORN, } *town of Epsom.*

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